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Extradition of Rap Brown To Md. Denied

CAMBRIDGE, Md., June 30 (UPI)—Extradition of black militant H. Rap Brown to Maryland has been denied by New York officials until the trial there is completed, states attorney William Yates said yesterday.

Brown is under indictment here on charges of inciting to arson and inciting to riot from a racial disturbance in July, 1967.

"New York said they were denying our request for extradition until he's tried there," Yates said. "Then we'll have a chance for trial."

Brown, once listed on the FBI's 10 most wanted list, was arrested in New York after a shootout in a tavern holdup last fall. He is being held without bond at a prison hospital at Rikers Island, N.Y.

Earlier, a state court denied a motion filed by Brown's attorney, William Kunstler, for extradition and a speedy trial.